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Docket No.: 67471-023

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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TAKAYAMA, SHUICHI, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 5392
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Serial No.: 09/301,284	:	Group Art Unit: 2122
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Filed: April 28, 1999	:	Examiner: Ted T. Vo
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For: PROCESSOR FOR EXECUTING INSTRUCTIONS IN UNITS THAT ARE UNRELATED TO THE UNITS IN WHICH INSTRUCTIONS ARE READ, AND A COMPILER, AN OPTIMIZATION APPARATUS, AN ASSEMBLER, A LINKER, A DEBUGGER AND A DISASSEMBLER FOR SUCH PROCESSOR

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated September 30, 2003, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 30, 2003, and the petition for a three-month extension of time up to and including March 30, 2004 being filed concurrently herewith, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks.